

# Yuma County Local Emergency Planning Committee

# Minutes of the Meeting October 9, 2013

#### PRESENT:

Mario Avalos, Helena Chemical Corporation, Group 5
Tony Badilla, Emergency Management Director, Group 2
Capt. John Hannon, Rural Metro, Group 2
Jeff Denman, citizen at large, Group 4
Michelle Smith, Health Department, Group 2
Enrique Medina Ochoa, Group 2
Maria (Patti) Michael, Land O'Lakes Company, Group 5

#### **ABSENT:**

Michael Callahan, Gowan Milling, Group 5 John Andoh, YCIPTA, Group 2 Tim Beeler, MCAS Yuma, Group 2 Chief Paul DeAnda, Somerton-Cocopah Fire Department, Group 2 Michael Kemp, Driscoll's, Group 5 Charles Ruerup, DPW at Yuma Proving Grounds, Group 5 Neil Sparks, RSC Rental, Group 5 Phil Smithers, Arizona Public Service, Group 5 Denise Whisman, Ferrell Gas, Group 5 Sheriff Leon Wilmot, Group 1 Benjamin T Wilson, citizen at large, Group 4 Mayor Al Krieger, Group 1 Manuel Hernandez, City of Yuma Utilities Department, Group 2 Mark Hutsell, Yuma Regional Medical Center, Group 2 Warren Quirk, Excel Group / WORC Center, Group 5 Earl Hamilton, MCAS Disaster Preparedness, Group 2 Lester Pate, Arizona Public Service, Group 5 Lt. Darren Simmons, Representing Sheriff Leon Wilmot, Alternate Group 1 Robert Barocio, Yuma Proving Grounds, Group 2 Marc Holyfield, Arizona Western College, Group 2 David Slade, Yuma Cogeneration Associates, Group 5 Chief Jeff Philpot, Wellton Department of Public Safety, Group 2

Gary Elk, Western Precooling, Group 5
Mike Erfert, Yuma Fire Department, Group 2
Greg Ferguson, Yuma County Board of Supervisors, Group 1
Gary Koehn, Kinder Morgan Energy Partners, Group 5
Chief Jack McArthur, Representing Al Krieger, Alternate Group 1
Noel Robles, Shaw Inc., Group 2
Ema Lea Shoop, citizen at large, Group 4
Cynthia Snyder, American Red Cross, Group 4
Kevin Tunell, Communications Director, Group 3
Rosario Zavala, Quechan Police Department, Group 2
Cathi Lara, Yuma County Office of Emergency Management, Group 2

We were unable to make a quorum of 10 persons present; although we did have a minimum of 3 groups represented, Group 2, Group 4 and Group 5.

Next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, December 12, 2013 at a new meeting location at Yuma County Emergency Operations Center located at Public Works at 4343 S Avenue 5 ½ E Yuma, AZ.

Thank you,

## Tricia Ramdass

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## Office of Emergency Management

#### **Informational Meeting**

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No Quorum Present for LEPC Meeting

Good to the Order for those present at 9:15 a.m.

### **Ten Minute Training:**

Just In Time Disaster Training – How to Prevent Carbon Monoxide Poisoning; link was as followed: <a href="http://www.drc-group.com/project/jitt-pcmp.html">http://www.drc-group.com/project/jitt-pcmp.html</a>

CDC Zombie Survival & Preparedness Guide; link was as followed: <a href="http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mQO5Q50515Q">http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mQO5Q50515Q</a>

Michelle Smith, R.N provided additional information on CDC response and more detail on clinical side of carbon monoxide poisoning during group discussion.

#### Good of the Order/Announcements:

Tony Badilla, OEM Director informed members that they were still waiting on 2014 HMEP funding.

Tony informed members of upcoming MAG300 and MAG400 classes and plans for future weekend classes in January or February to accommodate interested parties that cannot attend due to work hours. Jeff Denman requested a list of classes in the order that they should be taken.

Michelle Smith gave a brief summary of the outreach efforts for the 2013 Great AZ Shakeout that would take place October 17, 2013 at 10:17 a.m. Flu shots were already being given at the Health Department Immunization Division.

Capt. Hannon informed members of the annual haunted house; anyone interested in volunteering materials or time could contact the Rural Metro office.

Jeff Denman reminded members that the City of Yuma would be collecting Household Hazardous Waste on Saturday, October 12 at the CoY Public Works yard from 8:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. He provided a brief overview of plans for the Yuma Ammonia Awareness Safety Days which was scheduled for late January 2014; an information booth would be available for LEPC. He also requested a single page handout with the designated truck routes for chemicals.

Enrique Medina Ochoa was available to discuss transit needs and was currently working on an MOU with Yuma County OEM.

The next meeting was scheduled for Thursday, December 12, 2013 at 0900 hrs. at our new meeting location, Yuma County Emergency Operations Center, Yuma County Public Works 4343 S Avenue 5 ½ E, Yuma, AZ.

The meeting Adjourned at 10:12 a.m.